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DIRECT BROADCAST SATELLITE IMAGING SYSTEM PROVIDING REAL-TIME, CONTINUOUS

MONITORING OF EARTH FROM GEOSTATIONARY EARTH ORBIT

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